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**UTILITY  
PATENT APPLICATION  
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Attorney Docket No.	0153-83085
First Inventor	Tomoyuki NARUMI et al
Title	Removable Power Supply for an Audio Device
Express Mail Label No.	EL642287884US

**APPLICATION ELEMENTS**

See MPEP chapter 600 concerning utility patent application contents

1.  \*Fee Transmittal Form (e.g. PTO/SB/17)  
(Submit an original and a duplicate for fee processing)

2.  Applicant claims small entity status.  
See 37 CFR 1.27.

3.  Specification  
(preferred arrangement set forth below)

Total Pages

13

- Descriptive title of the Invention
- Cross Reference to Related Applications
- Statement Regarding Fed sponsored R & D
- Reference to sequence listing, a table, or a computer program listing appendix
- Background of the Invention
- Brief Summary of the Invention
- Brief Description of the Drawings (if filed)
- Detailed Description
- Claim(s)
- Abstract of the Disclosure

4.  Drawing(s) (35 U.S.C. 113) Total Sheets

8

5.  Oath or Declaration Total Pages

2

- a.  Newly-executed (original or copy) (unexecuted)
- b.  Copy from a prior application (37 CFR 1.63(d))  
(for continuation/divisional with Box 17 completed)

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Signed statement attached deleting inventor(s)  
named in the prior application, see 37 C.F.R.  
1.63(d)(2) and 1.33(b).

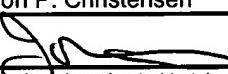
6.  Application Data Sheet. See 37 CFR 1.76

If a CONTINUING APPLICATION, check appropriate box, and supply the requisite information below and in a preliminary amendment, or in an Application Data Sheet under 37 CFR 1.76:

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Prior application information: Examiner \_\_\_\_\_ Group/Art Unit: \_\_\_\_\_  
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Filing Date	concurrently herewith
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Large Entity Fee Code (\$)	Entity Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee Code (\$)	Entity Fee (\$)	Fee Description	Fee Paid
105	130	205	65	Surcharge-late filing fee or oath	
127	50	227	25	Surcharge-late provisional filing fee or cover sheet	
139	130	139	130	Non-English Specification	
147	2,520	147	2,520	For filing a request for reexamination	
112	920*	112	920*	Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action	
113	1,840*	113	1,840*	Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action	
115	110	215	55	Extension for reply within first month	
116	390	216	195	Extension for reply within second month	
117	890	217	445	Extension for reply within third month	
118	1,390	218	695	Extension for reply within fourth month	
128	1,890	228	945	Extension for reply within fifth month	
119	310	219	155	Notice of Appeal	
120	310	220	155	Filing a Brief in support of an appeal	
121	270	221	135	Request for oral hearing	
138	1,510	138	1,510	Petition to institute a public use proceeding	
140	110	240	55	Petition to revive - unavoidable	
141	1,240	241	620	Petition to revive - unintentional	
142	1,240	242	620	Utility issue fee (or reissue)	
143	440	243	220	Design issue fee	
144	600	244	300	Plant issue fee	
Total Claims 22	-20** = -2	x 18	= 36		
Independent Claims 3	-3** = 0	x	=		
Multiple Dependent Claims			=		

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103	18	203	9	Claims in excess of 20
102	80	202	40	Independent claims in excess of 3
104	270	204	135	Multiple dependent claim, if not paid
109	80	209	40	**Reissue independent claims over original patent
110	18	210	9	**Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent

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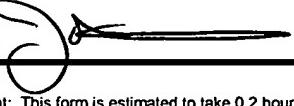
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